What's Coming Up…

**Taxing Township Property** — a continuing issue is being addressed by the Board to reverse the State decision to impose a property tax on our Community Center property (see article).

**H1N1 Flu Precautions** — The CDC urges people to take time to get vaccinated; take preventive action such as washing hands, covering coughs, avoiding close contact with sick people, staying home if you have flu symptoms; and taking flu antiviral drugs if recommended.

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The Homesteaders  
Helen Hendrickson

**November 4**th, Wednesday, 12:30pm, Town Hall.  
Annual Turkey Bingo and Coffee time.

**December 2**nd, Wednesday, 12:00, Town Hall.  
Annual Holiday Potluck with musical program by NSCS students.

**January 6**th, Wednesday, 12:30pm, Town Hall.  
New Year’s Potluck and Bingo.  
Everybody is welcome.

For information call Helen Hendrickson at 525-4154.

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80th Anniversary of our Town Hall

Pictures, stories and information are wanted for the upcoming 80**th** anniversary celebration. Clover Valley area history especially concerning our Town Hall and school-day stories from Clover Valley, Bloomingdale, Alden, Normanna and other early schools are welcome along with past Township events.

Call or send information to Dwaine Madison (525-6450), email: revmadison@juno.com or 6132 McQuade Road, Duluth, MN 55804.

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Sign up on our web site for Township email notices

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Odyssey Development on Stoney Point

The Planning Commission approved (3-2) variances for clearing and erosion control for Odyssey Development’s 8 single family home subdivision plan to be built on their Stoney Point property. A subdivision plan for 8 homes had been previously approved since it met Township zoning requirements. Subdivision plans are first approved by the Township but then handled by the St Louis Planning Commission.

Odyssey also applied for variances to allow them to cut the bluff back in front of each home, install stone erosion protection by the lake and replant native species on the gentler slope. This would allow them to move homes somewhat closer to the shore. There had been considerable discussion about the proper slope to avoid further slumping that might endanger homes, appropriate screening from the lake and neighbors, maintenance of erosion controls, etc. The plan that was presented included many suggestions from Township officials and residents. A public information session was held September 3**rd** and the public hearing was held September 24th where public concerns about timber cutting, erosion control, terms in the owner association agreement, etc. were also raised.

After the hearing, our Planning Commission deliberated and finally moved to grant the variance with many conditions spelled out. Actual passage of the motion occurred at their October meeting after the language of the motion was finalized. The full discussion and list of conditions can be found in the Planning Commission’s minutes (summarized below and listed in full on our Township web site, www.duluthtownship.org).

Once the subdivision plan is approved by St Louis County, the Township will have an opportunity to vote on the final plan with any conditions St Louis County includes. Future Township meetings will be posted.
Community Services in Duluth Township

AA meets Monday at 8pm at French River Lutheran Church on Ryan Road.
Clifton 4-H Club: call Kate Edblom 525-1276
Cub Scouts: call David Hooey 525-6617
Boy Scouts: call Jim Atkinson 343-0119; or Email: jbatkinson@allete.com
Girl Scouts: call Julie Igo 726-4710
(Note: If other community service groups should be listed, please leave a note for the Editor at the Town Hall.)

Lydia Darsow helping Fireperson/cook/organizer Jody Anderson select a winning ticket for a door prize at the annual Harvest Dinner, a benefit for our Clifton Volunteer Fire Department. It was a very successful and fun evening.
Thanks to all the businesses and individuals who donated door prizes and to the wonderful cooks and entertainers.

Land Use Permits are required before any construction or excavation is started.
The penalty for failing to get the proper land use permit has been raised from twice the permit cost to four times the permit cost. Contact the Planning Commission for details.

summary of Amendments to our Township Zoning ordinance

On September 17th, after an open house meeting and a public hearing earlier this year, our Board of Supervisors adopted a number of amendments to our Zoning Ordinance. A summary of these amendments was published in the News Tribune. These amendments include:

1) defining long-term rental of dwellings and establishing it as an allowed land use in most zones. Permitted in all zones except light industrial use zone (LIU-3A). Defined as 30 days or longer and is not occupied by the owner during this time.
2) clarifying language addressing the removal of vegetation in the shoreland overlay. A permit is required except for certain situations such as removal of dead trees, pruning shrubs, etc.
3) permits are required prior to constructing a driveway entering a Town road.
4) clarifying the process for conditional use permits (spelling out the steps to a completed application and the start of the 60-day decision period).
5) clarifying roles in hiring Planning Commission staff (Planning Director and assistants are hired by the Town Board but the Planning Secretary is recruited and hired by the Planning Commission with Board approval).
6) clarifying the process for obtaining variances (applications are to the Planning Commission with the required fee and detailed drawings to scale; if the application is not complete it is not forwarded for consideration).
7) clarifying membership of the Planning Commission and amending conditions for removal of Planning Commission members (including not attending at least 2/3rds of the meetings, etc)
8) amending the appeal process for decisions by the Planning Director or Planning Commission, and establishing the Town Board as the body to hear various appeals (the old Board of Adjustment is eliminated and the Town Board hears appeals of Planning Commission decisions).
9) updating the Town’s permit fee structure and publishing it as part of the Ordinance (generally raised, including a fee for appeals. following some resident suggestions at the Annual Town Meeting that the Planning Commission should be more self-supporting).

A printed copy of the entire ordinance is available for inspection at the Duluth Town Hall (6092 Homestead Road) during the Town Clerk’s normal business hours and at the office of the North Shore Community School (5926 Ryan Road). The document is also available on the Township web site, [www.duluthtownship.org](http://www.duluthtownship.org)
Township Calendar
See updates on www.duluthtownship.org.
Our Official Calendar is posted at the Town Hall.

NOVEMBER 2009
4, Wed, 12:30 Homesteader’s meet, Town Hall
4, Wed, 7pm **Volunteer Fire Dept**: business meeting, Fire Hall #1, Ryan Road
12, Thu, 7pm **TOWN BOARD**, Town Hall
17, Tue, 6:30pm **North Shore Community School Board** meeting, NSCS Library
17, Tue, 7am **Duluth/North Shore Sanitary District** meeting, French River Lutheran Church
18, Wed, 7pm **Volunteer Fire Dept**: training, Hall #1
19, Thu, 7pm **Planning Commission**, cancelled
22, Sun, 3pm Locavores meet, Town Hall

DECEMBER 2009
2, Wed, 12:00 Homesteader’s, Town Hall
2, Wed, 7pm **Volunteer Fire Dept**: business meeting, Fire Hall #1, Ryan Rd
10, Thu, 7pm **TOWN BOARD**, Town Hall
15, Tue, 6:30pm, **North Shore Community School Board** meeting, NSCS Library
15, Tue, 7am **Duluth/North Shore Sanitary District** meeting, French River Lutheran Church
16, Wed, 7pm **Volunteer Fire Dept** training, Hall #1
17, Thu, 7pm **Planning Commission**, Town Hall
23, Wed, **Deadline for January Newsletter**

JANUARY 2010
6, Wed, 12:30 Homesteader’s meet, Town Hall
6, Wed, 7pm **Volunteer Fire Dept**: business meeting Fire Hall #1, Ryan Road
14, Thu, 7pm **TOWN BOARD**, Town Hall
19, Tue, 6:30pm, **North Shore Community School Board** meeting, NSCS Library
19, Tue, 7am **Duluth/North Shore Sanitary District** meeting, French River Lutheran Church
20, Wed, 7pm **Volunteer Fire Dept** training Hall #1
24, Sun, 3pm Locavores meet, Town Hall
28, Thu, 7pm **Planning Commission**, Town Hall

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**Police Department**
Shawn Padden, Chief

Our Police Department logged 78 events plus regular patrols and paperwork in September. These included 8 traffic violation warnings, 7 animal complaints, 5 medical emergencies, 5 suspicious persons checked, 4 burglar alarms, and 26 vacation home/business checks.

**Vacation/Business Patrol** — If you are away or need extra police checking, there is a form you can use to request police checking. See the Town Hall or our Township web site.

**Crime Alerts** Sign up for email crime alerts on our Township web site: www.duluthtownship.org.

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**Clifton Volunteer Fire Department**
Bob Engelson, Chief

**Volunteer Fire Fighters Needed** — Our Clifton Volunteer Fire Department needs residents who would like to be a volunteer firefighter. It’s a great way to serve your community. Call Fire Chief Bob Engelson, 525-6819.

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**Township Recycling Center**
At the Town Hall, on Homestead Road
Staffing by Carolyn Marino, Al Anderson, Marlys Livingston, and Kathy Peer

- **Nov-March**: Tues. 7-11am, 2-6pm, Thurs. 2-6pm, Sat. 8-noon.
- **April-October**: Tues. 7-11am and 3-7pm, Thurs. 3-7pm, Sat. 8-noon.

(Drop off only during recycling hours)

Please report theft of aluminum cans at recycling, to Police.

Curb recycling pickup service is available below the freeway.

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Call 911 for all emergencies
To leave messages and non-emergency information:
Duluth Township Police: 393-8407 or 525-5705,
St Louis County 911 or their office: 727-8770

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**NOKOMIS**

Town Hall

**Open daily at 11am**
**Specials**
Wed. night: All you can eat Fish Fry
Sat: Prime Rib
Sat & Sun: Breakfast 11am-2pm
Sun: Turkey Dinner
Mon. Kids 10 or under eat free
Irish music Tues Nov 10th & Dec 1st 6-8pm
5730 Homestead Road • 525-4525
Update on State-Proposed Tax on our Township Community Center Property

The September Newsletter explained the Minnesota Department of Revenue's intention to impose property taxes on our Township's Community Center (which is leased to our North Shore Community School, a public charter school). Our Community Center has been assessed and the proposed taxes would amount to about $49,000 per year. Minnesota statutes state that "All public property exclusively used for any public purpose is exempt."

Our Township Supervisors have had extensive discussions of the issue with our Town Attorney, with the Minnesota Association of Townships, with other Townships affected by this new interpretation, and with our legislative representatives State Senator Tom Bakk and State Representative David Dill and Commissioner Peg Sweeney.

A petition was circulated and signed by some 211 residents (and may still be available at the Town Hall for interested residents), indicating their concern.

The Town Board met with Ms Peg Sweeney, our 5th District Commissioner. The Board drafted a letter to the St Louis County Commissioners requesting their support and assistance in appealing the matter to the Minnesota Department of Revenue. Supervisors also adopted a formal resolution requesting relief from property tax assessment on our Duluth Township Community Center. Town Board representatives planned to attend the October 27th County Board meeting where the request for assistance and resolution would be discussed.

Berry Picking

George Hagglund

Nowadays, if we get an urge for strawberry jam on our pancakes and toast, or for some nice blueberries or raspberries, we go to our local supermarket and choose in the produce section or a Smucker's jar off the shelf. There was a time when it wasn't done that way, and believe it or not, the product was better and more flavorful. We did it the hard way, by going out on roadside, rock pile, or into the woods to pick them ourselves. Berry picking wasn't just a hobby, it was a way of life for those who preceded us on our little patches of land on Lake Superior's border.

The summer was divided into three seasons – first came those gem-like strawberries, tiny and sweet, in June. Generally, it was Mom and the kids that went out into certain favorite spots, generally along roadsides and in open areas where the strawberries had put out their white blossoms, and by June, those sweet little red berries that we remember so well, and which put the California jumbo berries to shame, with their exquisite flavor, were available. The kids weren't always trustworthy – they put as many in their mouths as they did in their bowl. The product was taken home and made into sauce or jam, then canned, and brightened our lives all during the long Minnesota winters.

Next came raspberry picking season, and again, it was mainly the women and kids who went out to explore those hidden spots where wild raspberries grew in abundance. Our fields generally had a few rock piles that were favorite spots for raspberries. They were picked by the gallon and quart, taken back to the kitchen, and rendered into jam and jellies, then put away for the long cold season to come. Many, of course, were eaten fresh on the day they were picked.

During World War II, sugar was rationed, so a good deal of scheming went on to get hold of enough for canning up our summer delights. There was borrowing to and fro, but somehow we always seemed to find enough to preserve our harvest. No one had refrigerators or freezers then, so everything was canned with a pressure cooker.

The pinnacle of the summer came in August, when blueberries came ripe. They too were sweet and delectable, much better than the big ones we buy at the supermarket now. Every family had their own secret spots where they knew blueberries grew, generally in cutover or areas burned by forest fires in recent years. The families went out in strength with their buckets and containers, to forage with the black bears in the best patches. It was a favorite time of year – usually sunny and warm weather, but hints of the cold to come. The harvest on good years could be huge if a late spring frost didn't kill the blossoms. The pies, jams, and blueberry sauce that were made from the fruit of our labors tasted great during those snowbound winters.

It was a great time to be alive and out in the woods. We fondly remember those days, and wonder whether people still go out searching for those elusive berries. We couldn't afford store-bought sweets, so the summer harvest brightened our lives like nothing else could.
August 13th regular meeting. All Supervisors attended. Minutes were approved for the Community Center bid opening June 29th, regular Board meeting July 9th and Meyer Cartway hearing July 22nd. The Treasurer reported receipts of $29,129.39, disbursements of $85,918.20 for a July ending balance of $782,095.60.

Department reports: Our Police were asked to patrol the safe harbor area. No Fire report. The Planning Director detailed activities. The Worden 5132 short term rental property was sold and their court case ended. There have been problems and warnings with the Worden 5149 short term rental property and a violation warning letter sent. The Worden’s CUP for short term rental is up for review in January. It was suggested that we need some venue to help handle some neighborhood disputes as some communities have. Legal: Meyer cartway meeting tabled to Nov 12th. Work on the issue of MN Dept. of Revenue decision to tax on our Community Center property is continuing. Ordinance amendment wording is being reviewed. A prevailing wage agreement that had been suggested for the Township was discussed. The Board was uncomfortable with its applicability and implications for our small Township. No action was taken.

Roads: Supervisor Tanner has been working with our contractor, Bob Rodda, on bringing our roads up to MNDOT standards while staying within our budget. Community Center: New roof received final inspection, septic system reviewed, a new sign needs to be added along the road for “Duluth Township Community Center and Recreational Fields”. Up to $3,500 was approved for a sign acknowledging work and donated time for the Community Center fields/pavilion/playground. Security and smoking bans were discussed. Communication: issues were discussed (e-mail, expectation that we respond as if we were full-time, etc.). Correspondence: St Louis County notified us that we need to update our voting machines. The Minnesota Department of Revenue sent a letter about our unallotment. Our Township will lose $6,641 this year.

September 10th regular meeting. Supervisors Dahl, Meierhoff, Mount and Sironen were present. Minutes were approved for the April 15th Bieraugel vs Town of Duluth closed meeting and the Aug. 13th Board meeting. Audience concerns: A request was made by the Hansons to rent the Town Hall every Sunday (tabled to October). The claims list was reviewed and bills paid. Our August ending balance was $786,250.53 (which includes the Community Center capital improvement fund).

Department reports: Police: dog issues on West Knife River Road, the squad vehicle computer was received. A computer for the police office will be available in 2010. Planning: Mr. Fischer questioned whether the Pine Park Road Home Owner’s Association was legally valid. Criteria for hardship and practical difficulty in zoning considerations were discussed. Roads: We need to hire a professional to provide expert advice on some road maintenance issues. Community Center: Discussion of how we should approach the issue of property tax on this Township property (tax is projected to be $49,000).. Tom Bakk, the Department of Revenue Attorney, the State Auditor and other Townships have been contacted. A petition for residents to sign and a Board resolution summarizing our arguments against this new tax will be written. Communications: Our web site has been updated (calendar and forms are being added). Forty people are now on the e-notification list. The Newsletter mailing list has been updated. Correspondence: A letter was received from the State Department of Revenue explaining our unallotment. Discussion of ordinance amendments was tabled to Oct.

September 17th Tax Petition/Ordinance meeting. All Supervisors attended. There was a discussion of the petition for residents to sign indicating their concern about taxing our Community Center property. The petition wording was adopted and copies will be made available for residents to sign if they wish. A resolution will be drafted. Tim Strom will continue checking legal issues and Commissioner Peg Sweeney will be contacted.

Proposed changes to our Zoning Ordinance were discussed and a summary for publication was approved. (Information meetings and a public hearing had been held earlier this year.) A summary of the changes appears in an article in this Newsletter and details are available at the Town Hall and on our Township web site.

October 8th regular meeting. Supervisors Dahl, Meierhoff, Sironen and Tanner attended. Commissioner Peg Sweeney participated in a discussion of the Community Center property tax assessment issue. Commissioner Sweeney will take our presentation (signed petitions and resolution, etc.) to the County Board’s Oct. 27th meeting. A Town Board member will be present as well. The resolution requesting that the MN Dept of Revenue reverse its position on property tax on our Community Center was discussed and adopted.

George Sundstrom and Mr. Craig Olson discussed their proposed project labor agreement. The discussion raised the point that we are not big enough and we cannot dictate how NSCS manages its money. We did go with prevailing wages on the Community Center roof. The Board felt that it was not ready to step into an agreement at this time but would plan project by project in managing this issue.

The Treasurer reported the Sept. ending balance was $756,614.31. Department reports: Police: Kids are being reckless on the soccer field after school. Officers were asked to circle through the area. Planning: The Board and Planning Commission will have a joint meeting on the 22nd to discuss short term rental issues. Roads: Ditch work on East Wildwood Road has been completed. The next project is grading and drainage work at the top of Olson Road. Town Hall: The well ran dry and tripped a breaker. Recycling: Light has been broken again. Old business: The Board decided against renting the Town Hall for repetitive meetings such as regular church meetings. New business: Meetings have been long and there was a proposal to reserve an “overflow meeting” time each month. It was decided that this would be too expensive and other ways to streamline the meetings were proposed. (continued on page 6)
August 27th meeting. Present: Chairman Chura, Crow, Green, Lannon, Levanen, Rutford. Greg Schendel from Odyssey Development presented their new plan for the Stoney Point subdivision and submitted a variance request. Two variances were needed: 1) clearing and grading for slope stability and toe placement, and 2) setting the homes within 125 ft of the shoreline. An Open House is scheduled for Sept 3rd and Public Hearing Sept. 24th.

Variance criteria were discussed along with case law examples in a handout. Realtors who call about non-conforming lots are informed about what can be done with a piece of property before it is bought.

The Community Center pavilion and restroom facilities are done and will be dedicated on Sept 18th.

To date there have been 22 land use permits in 2009. There were 22 in 2008 and 18 in 2007.

A subgroup (Commissioners Rutford, Crow and Kahl plus resident Stephan Gorney) presented proposed new ordinance language to cover new energy technology production. Initially they researched wind generation and suggestions for ordinance performance standards (decibel levels, etc.). It was suggested that systems meeting zoning height limits and producing no more than 30kw not require a permit. Commercial-sized systems exceeding 35' and generating more than 30kw would require a permit and variance. The topic will be addressed again at a future meeting.

Two Public Hearings: Piersons submitted a request for a side-yard setback variance of 22 ft (Ordinance is 35 ft). After discussion and no public comment, the request was granted. Hastings requested a setback variance for a garage. A neighbor had no objection. After discussing difficulties presented by slopes and drainage, a 12 foot variance from standard was granted.

September 24th meeting. Present: Crow, Green, Kahl, Lannon, Levanen, Rutford. A public hearing on the Stoney Point Cottages Odyssey Development was held. The Planning Director reviewed its history, the relevant Ordinance and criteria for decisions on the variances. The new site plat and changes from the earlier public hearing were presented by Bob Ryan and Greg Schendel of Odyssey. Two variances are requested, one for removal of vegetation and grading the slope and the other for placement of homes nearer the shore. Property traded between the Congon Trust Land and a 3.5 acre lot was presented but action was deferred to the October meeting (see article in this Newsletter).

The Next Planning Committee meetings (usually the 4th Thursday at 7pm in the Town Hall): No meeting on Nov. 19th, NOTE: the December meeting is on the 17th. Special hearings are posted at the Town Hall.

Residents are urged to attend these public meetings.
Great Blue Heron inspecting the Cox home roof this fall!

(Picture by Brian Cox)

North Shore Locavores
Sherry Rovig

The next meeting will be Sunday, Nov. 22nd, (4th Sun.) at our Town Hall. An educational hour starts at 3pm, followed by 4pm meeting with a pot luck meal following.

Upcoming Education sessions:
- Nov 22nd — bee keeping
- Dec. (no meeting)
- Jan 24th — foraging discussion
- Feb 28th — multi-cropping & soil management
- Mar 28th — to be determined
- Apr 25th — sheep shearing
- May 23rd — drip irrigation
  (check the web site for updates)

For more information, see our Township web site: www.duluthtownship.org/locavore, or call: Sherry at 525-0489 or Georganne at 525-4679.

Meetings are free and open to the public.

Duluth Township Information — 2009
Duluth Town Hall, 6092 Homestead Road, Duluth, MN 55804
Phone (218) 525-5705 (voice message),
fax (218) 525-3845, web site: www.duluthtownship.org.
or Email: TownHall@duluthtownship.org

Town Office Hours: Tues. and Wed. 8:30am-12am
Thursday 9am-12 and 4-6pm

Planning Office Hours: No posted hours, call the
Assistant Director for an appointment (393-8500)

Supervisors:
Stephen Dahl, (2007-2010) 525-4679 or
Email: SteveDahl@duluthtownship.org
(Responsibilities: Shares Roads, Community Center, Recreation Facilities (JOC))
Wendy Meierhoff (2008-2011) 525-0263
or Email: Wendy@duluthtownship.org
(Responsibilities: Community Education/Recreation Coordinator, Police, Alternate on Planning, Shares: Recreation Facilities (JOC) and Community Center)
Dave Mount (2007-2010) Board Chair 525-7961
or Email: DaveMount@duluthtownship.org
(Responsibilities:; Board Chair, Planning & Zoning, North Shore Mgmt Bd, Shares Town Hall, )
Mary Ann Sironen, (2009-2012) Vice Chair 525-2010 or Email: MaryAnnSironen@duluthtownship.org
(Responsibilities: Personnel, Newsletter/web site, Duluth/County Assn of Twps, Senior Housing, Board of Adjustment, Duluth/North Shore Sanitary District, Alternate: North Shore Management, Board Chair)
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(Responsibilities: Cemetery, Fire Dept, RSPT, MPCA, SWPPP, Shares Town Hall and Roads)

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Assistant Director: John Kessler 393-8500,
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Planning and Zoning Secretary: Beth Mullan
Email: PlanningZoning@duluthtownship.org
Planning and Zoning Commission: Dave Chura (Chair),
Barbara Crow, Jan Green, Michael Kahl, Bill Lannon, Seth Levanen, Yvonne Rutford
Email: PlanningZonng@duluthtownship.org
Peace Officers: Chief Shawn Padden,
Officers: Mike Peterson and Steve Peterson.
Emergencies 9-1-1, Messages 525-5705 or 393-8407
Email: DuluthTwpPolice@duluthtownship.org
Fire Department: Chief Bob Engelson, Assistant Chief
Keith Darson, President Bill Cox
Email: FireHall@duluthtownship.org
Burning Permits are available from the Town Hall during office hours, and from Fire Wardens: Jay Zink (525-5589), Jeff and Caroline Marino (525-6431), or the DNR office in Two Harbors (1568 Hwy 2, 834-6609).
Community Education Coordinator: Supervisor Meierhoff
Email: EducCoordinator@duluthtownship.org

Note: Where possible, email is forwarded to the person, otherwise it is sent to the Town Hall where it is picked up.
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How about contributing to the Newsletter! — short articles about our history, poetry, pictures, masthead drawing or picture, etc. of interest to Township residents, leave a note for the editor at the Town Hall or email: Editor@duluthtownship.org.

Reminders
Please do not drive vehicles on our Community Center recreation fields.
Also, no motorized vehicles on the Korkki Nordic ski trails.
Power lines are private property. Get permission to use them for trails.

Home Care Resources That Serve Duluth Township
Margaret France

Medical Services: Nursing and therapy services; Medicaid/insurances may cover cost; need a physician order for services, and must be homebound.
- Gentiva Health Services: 723-8999
- Interim Healthcare: 722-0053
  (if they have staff available in the area)
- Regency Home Health Care: 727-0296
- St. Luke’s Home Care: 249-6111
- St. Mary’s Home Health: 786-4004
- Senior Friend Home Care: 727-1111
- Superiorhealth Community Care: 834-7205

Non-Medical Services: Light housekeeping, meal prep, shopping, med. Reminders; most insurance does not cover costs; no physician order needed.
- Caring Companions/Touching Hearts at Home: 724-4743
- Home Instead Senior Care: 727-8810

Other: Home healthcare and special transportation services.
- Pathways to Achievement, Inc.: 721-4732 or www.pathwaystoachievementinc.com
- Senior Linkage Line: 1-800-333-2433

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